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ARMISTICE SIGNED

AMERICANS KEEP UP TERRIFIC ONSLAUGHT TO LAST MINUTE

Latest Reports Show Final Drive Extended Over Front of Over Seventy Miles

New York, Nov. 11.—During the last hours of fighting on the western front, previous to the cessation of hostilities this morning, General Peshing's first and second armies kept up a terrific onslaught on the Germans. The latest reports from the fields of combat showed that the Yankees drive was on a front of seventy-one and one-half miles between Sedan and the Moselle.

Fierce German resistance was broken as the Americans advanced towards Metz, driving the enemy back three miles at some points and capturing important strongholds. Stenay, on the right bank of the Meuse, Grimancourt, Marcheville and St. Hilaire were stormed in heavy fighting.

Gouraud's army, on the American left, poured across the Meuse on a wide front between Mezieres and Sedan and pursued the foe in his increasingly precipitate retreat.

The French astride the Belgian boundary continued their route of the enemy. Everywhere Petain's men swept forward.

The British army had practically gotten out of France, advance forces having passed the frontier, Field Marshal Haig reported.

London, Nov. 11.—When hostilities ceased the Allies were advancing on the whole front from the Dutch border to the Metz region, a distance of more than 200 miles.

The line apparently ran west of Ghent east of Ardennes east of Mons, east of Maubeuge west of Chimay, south of Rocoi Mezieres, through Sedan, south of Montmedy and north of Pont-a-Mousson. From east of the latter place, the line followed its old course, inside the French frontier to the region of Diedolshausen, where it crossed into Germany and continued in practically a straight line to the junction of the French, German and Swiss borders.

In the Balkans, the Allies were still pressing the Germans backward. The Serbs had occupied Sarajevo, where the world war was born, and Pestari.

MONS TAKEN BY BRITISH BEFORE FIGHTING STOPS

London, Nov. 11.—Mons, the famous Belgian city, was taken by the British before orders were received this morning to cease fighting.

TERMS TO BE MADE PUBLIC THIS AFTERNOON

Washington, Nov. 11.—President Wilson will read terms of the armistice which Germany has signed at a special session of congress today. Terms outlined by the Allies and under which Germany has bowed in surrender will be made public at this time.

The Normal College football team played the 4th Co., S. A. T. C., from Ann Arbor, Saturday losing by a score of 7 to 6.

PROCLAMATION

By Mayor Brown

The great war has come to a close. The Hun brought to bay, has collapsed and accepts the terms of the Allies.

This is a day of rejoicing and celebration and it is my desire that all business houses close at noon. Let us decorate our homes and stores with Old Glory which has played so magnificent a part in this glorious victory, and join in the exercises of the day.

While we are flushed with victory let us hold ourselves ready for every task laid upon us as the victors and show the world that we are as invincible in peace as we are in war.

C. V. BROWN, Mayor, Ypsilanti.

FOCH TIES HUNS' HANDS IN ARMISTICE

Indications Are That Terms Are Very Much Like Those Accepted By Austria, Allied Supremacy is Assured

Washington, Nov. 11.—The actual terms of the armistice signed today had not been announced by the state department up to an early hour today.

Its terms were strong. They were such that Germany could not renew the war even if she would. They made it certain that the associated supremacy should be assured. That was scarcely necessary, for Germany was thoroughly defeated in the field, and the crack in morale at home had written "Finis" on the struggle long before the document was signed.

The state department had already indicated that terms followed in the Austrian armistice would be the pattern for the German document. This menat, apparently, that Germany was forced to clear her shattered armies out of the last of France and Belgium to haul them from Russia and Rumania; to surrender a large portion of her artillery and other equipment; to give up a part of her battle fleet; probably one-fifth to one-third; to give up much of her submarine fleet; to consent to allied garrisoning of certain strategic points along the German frontier; to release of American-Allied prisoners; to announcement of location of mines and assistance, if necessary, in clearing them; to abandonment of all rolling stock, coal and supplies in occupied territory.

Whether she was called upon to evacuate Alsace-Lorraine was uncertain, although sooner or later this was to be a portion of the demands.

As to Allied occupation of Heligoland or Kiel, this was said by a naval officer to be probably a doubtful point but it seemed certain that the Allies would demand Allied occupation of the unsurrendered portion of the fleets just as was done with Austria.

U. S. CREDITED WITH TURNING TIDE OF WAR

Washington, Nov. 11.—It was America's privilege to turn the tide of war.

Her entrance as a belligerent in April, 1917, has been followed by the shipment of over two million Yank fighters to Europe, loaning of over $7,500,000,000 to her associates in the war and expenditure of over $20,000,000,00 during her 19 months in the fight.

Her's also was the unique diplomacy directed at the Teuton militarism, which brought on the conflict and whicch today has been swept from power by enlightened peoples.

ERNEST CUNNINGHAM HURT THIRD TIME OVER

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cunningham have received word from their son, Pvt. Ernest H. Cunningham, that he was injured. Pvt. Cunningham has been over the top three times. The last time he was wounded and taken to a receiving hospital and was expecting to be taken into a base hospital at the time the message to his parents was sent. He is with Co. B, 18th infantry.

TERMS OFFICIALLY REACHED AT 5 A. M.

PARADE AT TWO THIS AFTERNOON

All Stores and Business Places Close at Noon Today; Big Celebration Prepared For This Afternoon and Evening

At 2 o'clock this afternoon a parade will be assembled at the corner of Forest Avenue and Brower streets, ready to march at 2 o'clock. C. P. Steimle has been requested by Mayor Brown to take charge of arrangements.

WORKMEN PARADE

Early this morning men from the Crown Fender factory formed into line and paraded through streets of the city ahead with a drum and fife and floating the 100 percent Liberty Loan flag. They not only paraded but visited other factories and gave the celebration a rousing sendoff among workmen all over the city.

STUDENTS TO TAKE PART

All students of city schools and colleges are being requested to be in line. Normal students will assemble at the Auditorium and pupils of the city schools will be in line as well as the Boy Scouts. There will be plenty of music, the young people leading under direction of Mrs. Erickson.

EVERYBODY INVITED

Everybody is invited to get into the parade. The march will be from Brower and Forest, headed by the S. A. T. C. boys and military boys at the high school. The line of march will be along the main streets and across the river, then back to the post office where a program of speaking and singing will be carried out.

LINE OF MARCH

Parade leaves at 2 o'clock sharp, therefore floats, cars and organizations should be at designated places early. Point of starting is at Forest Avenue, at Lowell street. March east on Forest to Huron, south on Huron to Cross, east on Cross to River, south on River to Michigan and west on Michigan to Postoffice.

BAND WILL LEAD

Following is the order planned for the parade:

Band, City Officials, G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, Red Cross, W. R. C., Women's Council of National Defense. These will meet on Forest at Lowell facing east in order named.

High School Cadets, High School students, school children, on Forest at Ballard.

Student Army Training Corps, Normal College, Normal High and Cleary students on Forest at Perrin.

Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls, Forest at Brower.

FACTORY AND FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

Factory and fraternal organizations will meet on Perrin, facing north, and will follow Boy Scouts.

Factory and other floats on Ballard, facing north, follow factory organizations.

Decorated machines on Hamilton facing north following floats.

NORMAL TO MEET M. A. C. SATURDAY

The team will play the Michigan Agricultural College S. A. T. C. team next Saturday.

FOCH TERMS PREVENT POSSIBILITY OF RENEWAL OF HOSTILITIES

FIGHTING STOPPED ON ALL FRONTS THIS MORNING AT 11 O'CLOCK, FRENCH TIME

London, Nov. 11.—It was officially announced here this morning that an armistice had been signed by representatives at 5 o'clock this morning and that hostilities were suspended at 11 o'clock.

LONDON RECEIVES OFFICIAL WORD

London, Nov. 11.—Official word has been received here of signing of armistice by Germany at 5 o'clock this morning and that hostilities ceased at 11 o'clock. The message stated that cessation of war activities became effective on all fronts throughout Europe today.

NO CHANCE TO RENEW WAR, SAYS WASHINGTON

Washington, Nov. 11.—At 6 o'clock this morning, U. S. time, the war practically came to an end.

The State Department officially announced that German plenipotentiaries officially arrived at terms at Foch's headquarters at 5 o'clock and that hostilities ceased at 11 o'clock French time.

Although the armistice merely halts the war and does not end it, Foch's terms are such as to prevent Germany renewing hostilities, hence the war is regarded as being over.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Germany signed today an armistice agreement that branded her before the world a beaten nation.

By its terms, she surrendered in the field to a better force than the mighty military machine her autocrats had builded.

By it she agreed to evacuation of occupied territory. She swore away her hold on the genrous portion of her warship and submarine fleets. She acceded to demands for surrender of a portion of her war material. In other words, she admitted that America and her allies were victorious and agreed to strong stipulations which made the nation unable to renew the strife even if its shattered people were so inclined.

According to dispatches from Berlin the German peoples government has been instituted in the greater part of Berlin. The garrison has gone over to the government.

The workmens' and soldiers' council has declared a general strike. Troops and machine guns have been placed at disposal of the council. Guards which had been stationed at public offices and other buildings have been withdrawn.

Friederich Ebert (vice-president of the Social Democratic party), is carrying on the chancellorship. The text of the statement by the peoples government reads:

"In the course of the forenoon of Saturday, formation of a new German people's government was initiated. The greater part of the Berlin garrison and other troops stationed there temporarily went over to the new government.

"Leaders of deputations of the Social-Democratic party declared that they would not shoot against the people. They said they would, in accord with the people's government, intercede in favor of order. Thereupon in offices and public buildings guards which had been stationed there were withdrawn.

"Business of the imperial chancellor is being carried on by the Social-Democratic deputy, Herr Ebert.

"It is presumed that apart from representatives of the recent majority group three independent Social-Democrats will enter future government."

RETURNED HERO ADDRESSES THE SIGNAL WOMEN

A largely attended meeting of the Signal Corps Auxiliary and Service Flag [illegible] was held Saturday afternoon at the Masonic Temple. The speaker was Lieut. Merle Dolby who gave an informal personal talk of his late experiences in France, telling of the Ypsilanti boys and their part in the war. He was showered with questions from anxious mothers and relatives, each query being graciously answered.

A new service flag containing 220 honor stars, representing the 180 Signal Corps men, who left Ypsilanti, over a year ago, with stars added for the sons in service of mothers, now members of this noble organization. The added 40 stars represent men who have gone to war either by enlistment or draft. Seven gold stars on the flag symbolize that many who have gave their life-blood for the cause of Democracy.

The next meeting will be held in two weeks when Nelson Boutell, home on a furlough, will be speaker.

QUOTA MORE THAN HALF SUBSCRIBED

F. H. Nissly, divisional chairman of the Patriotic Fund campaign, stated Saturday evening that over one-half of the district's quota of $25,000 was subscribed on the first day of the volunteer subscription.

John King returned Sunday afternoon from a short visit in Detroit.

KAISER AND CROWN PRINCE FLEE TO HOLLAND

London, Nov. 11.—(Midnight)—Both the former German emperor and his eldest son, Frederick William, crossed the Dutch border Sunday morning, according to advices from The Hague.

They proceeded to Middachten castle, according to a dispatch received by the army general staff at the Hague, based on reports to the Netherlands' capital.

The dispatch, dated today, follows:

"Press reports state that the Kaiser arrived this morning at Maastricht, Holland, and is proceeding to Middachten castle in the town of Desteeg, near Utrcht."

Desteeg is on the Gueiders Ysel, an arm of the Rhine river, 40 miles east of Utrecht and 12 miles from the German border.

Copenhagen, Nov. 11.—The new Berlin government, according to a Wolff bureau, has issued the following proclamation: "Fellow Citizens: This day the people's deliverance has been fulfilled. The Social Democratic party has undertaken to form a government. It has invited the Independent Socialist party to enter the government with equal rights."